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| In re Application of:                             | ) | Confirmation No: 2169 |
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| Filing Date: October 15, 2004                     | ) |                       |
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| METHOD OF CONTROLLING LUBRICANT                   | ) |                       |
| <u>PROPERTIES BY MEANS OF DILUTING THE SAME</u> ) |   | 07 July 2008          |

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED 4 APRIL 2008**

Attorney for Applicant in the above-captioned application hereby responds to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2008. At the time the Office Action issued, claims 1-21 were pending.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.